

Don Mitchell
Senior "52"

THE 1952 MASCOUTAN

MASCOUTAH COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

MASCOUTAH, ILLINOIS

Mary J. Skidmore
L.W. Snider

Mascoutah Loyalty Song

L.W. Snider

Illinois, among thy high schools There are many of great fame
We will love our Alma Mater; We will work for her each day;

With a loyal student body And a glorious name;
And when high school days are over, Loyal be for aye.

But there's one among the many That we love the best;
May her glory ever increase; May her colors fly;

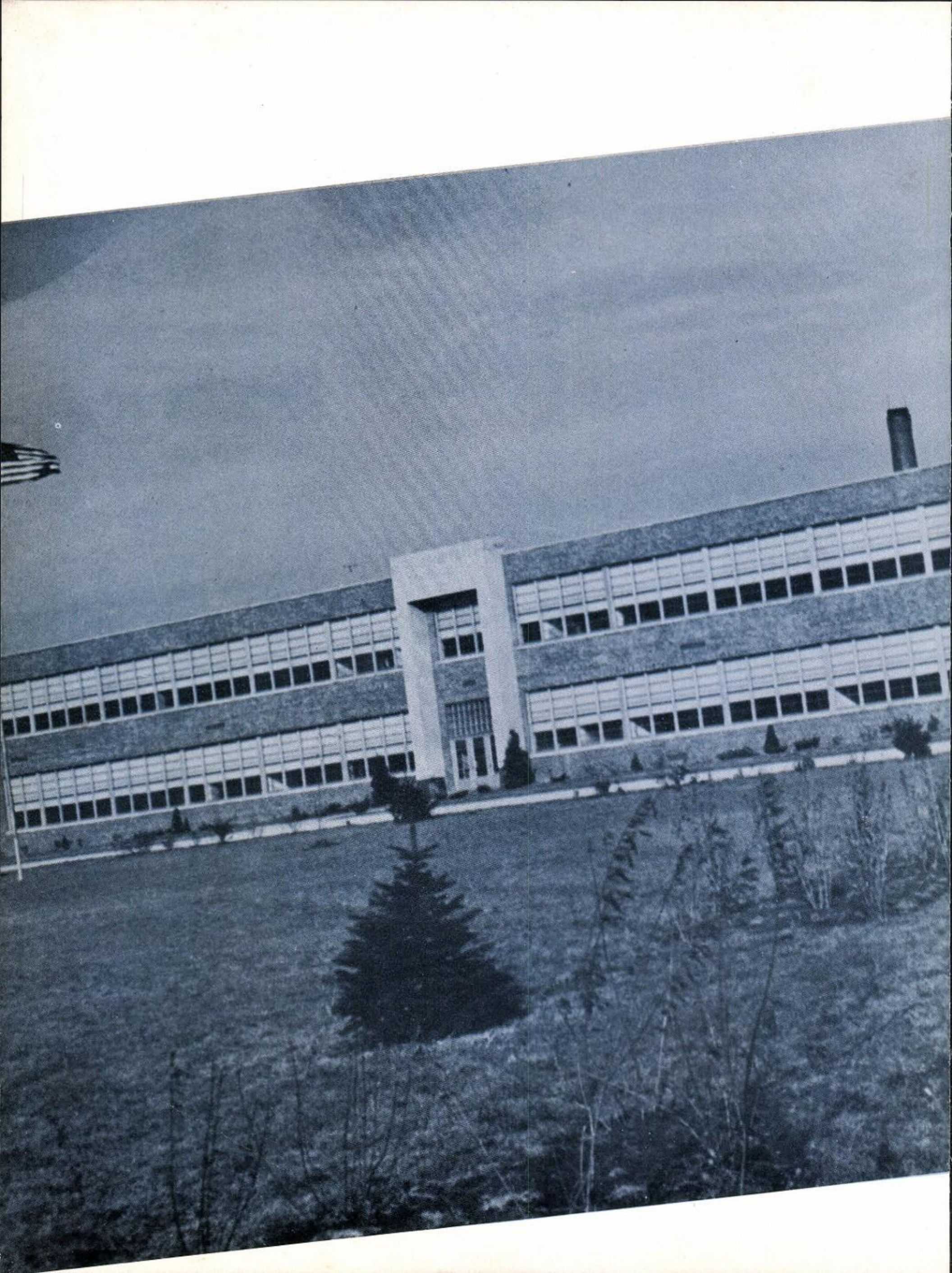
'Tis Mascoutah, fair Mascoutah, Dearer than the rest!
Let each victory bring more honor To Mascoutah High!

Cho. Hail to thee, our dear Mascoutah, School we love the most!
Pep Cho. Fight, Mascoutah! fight, Mascoutah! Win the victory!

We will loyal be forever, Of thy honors boast;
May the white and the purple Ne'er defeated be!

Working, fighting, boosting, cheering, Ever forward we,
We are working; we are boosting, Cheering Loyal.

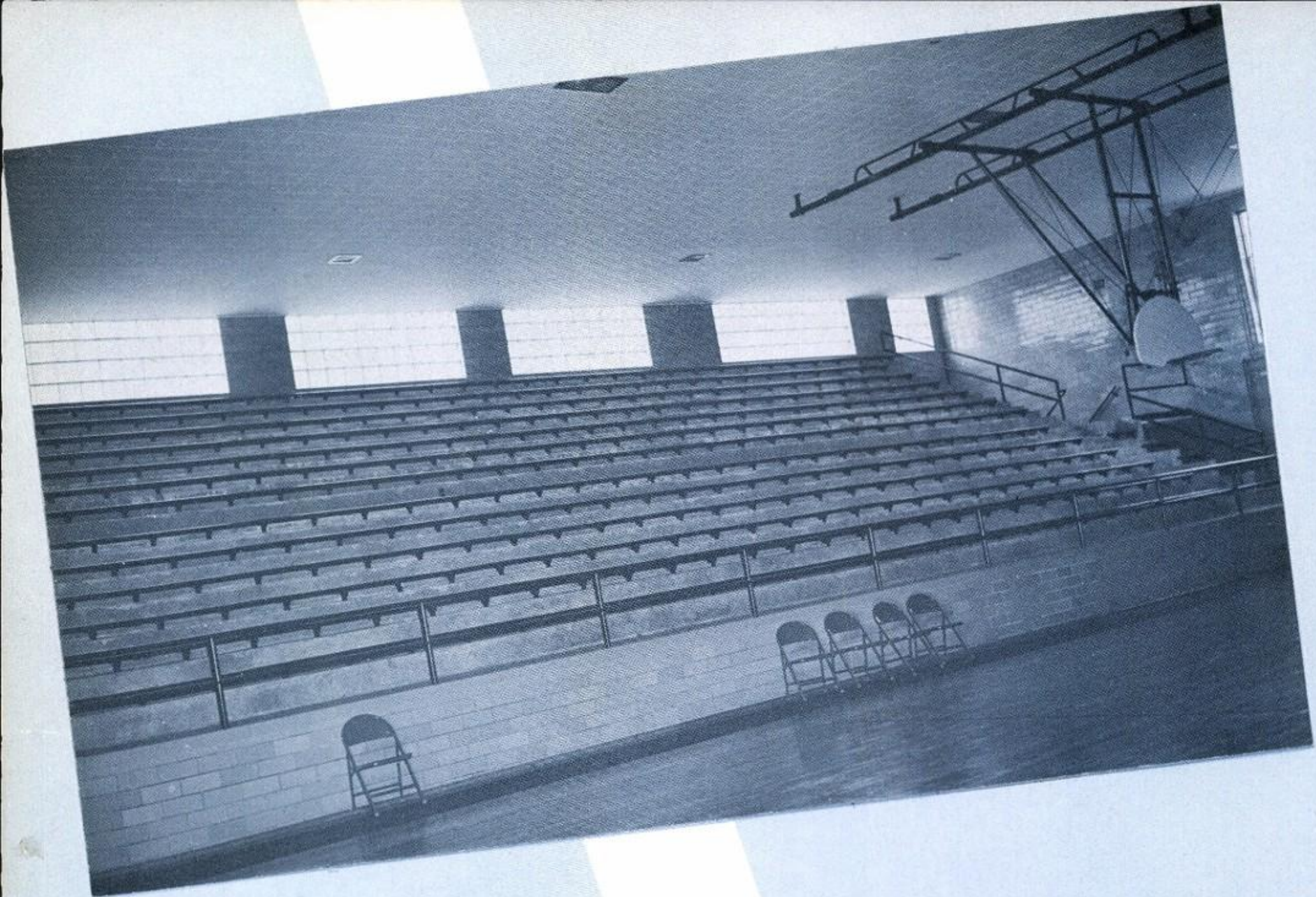
Proud to keep the white and purple Waving gloriously.
Fight, Mascoutah, fight, Mascoutah, On to victory!















Dedication



To you, Miss Mathews, in gratitude for your competent and friendly service to all who came in contact with you and for your contributions toward making Mascoutah Community High School a better place, we dedicate this 1952 MASCOUTAN.

Few people in the history of our school have left the record of their deeds so deeply engraved upon the pages of eternity.

Administration



We gratefully express our heartfelt thanks to our superintendent, Mr. Wiley B. Garvin. By his persistent efforts he has set up high intellectual, moral, and social standards for the student body. We are certain that his wise counsel will help to make us better citizens. We heartily thank him for all he has done for us, and we want to prove to him that his efforts have not been in vain.



Mr. Roland Eidman, Mr. Harold Grodeon, Mr. Hobart Plab, Mr. Elmer Riess, Mr. Walter Klingelbhoefer, Mr. Leroy Perrottet.

The members of the Board of Education can justly feel proud of the beautiful, modern school which their earnest endeavor and careful planning have brought to this community. They have contributed much time and work, receiving nothing for their efforts but the complete satisfaction of seeing the youth of Mascoutah and the surrounding territory grow into fine men and women. We wish to thank them for all they have done to make our years in high school enjoyable as well as beneficial.



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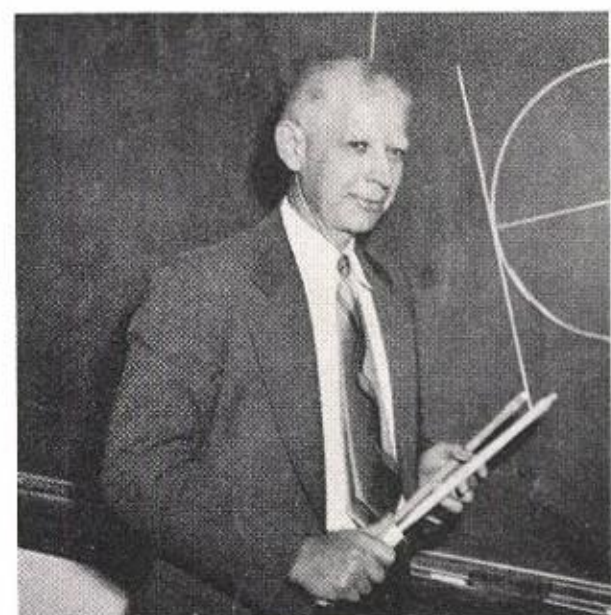
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CLASSES

Senior Statistics

NAME	HOBBY	FAVORITE SAYING	AMBITION	PROBABLE OUTCOME
James Albrecht	Motorcycling	Yeah, sure	Right-handed Musial	Left-handed batboy
Tira Biddle	Drawing	Oh, shoot!	Clothes designer	Washwoman
Donna Crosser	Taking only three subjects	Oh, piffle!	To be the "General's" secretary	To be a "Private" secretary
Joyce Curry	Taking pictures	Oh, my word!	Accordianist	Repair accordions
Marlene Doelling	Music	Oh, my goodness!	Airline stewardess	Coal miner
Donald Graul	Driving my Ford	Let's go to the clubhouse.	Understand Macbeth	Go back to comic books
Joan Gunia	Convertibles	I like it!	Nursing	Doctor's cleaning woman
Jo Harper	Photography	I made a boo-boo!	Car for graduation	Rollerskates
June Hecker	Collecting Kewpie dolls	It's logical	To be a Paris model	To be a two-ton Tessie
Scheron Kilian	Driving	I'll clue you!	Live in a mansion	Georgia share-cropper
George Klob	Radio	Yeah?	Make a million at 21	Digging ditches at 70
Verna Kraske	Playing Piano	You know what I mean!	Teacher	Policewoman
Dixie Kuehn	Learning new dance steps	You clown!	Fashion designing	Clothes mender
Firmin Lanter	Fishing	Wow!	Own a Cadillac	Ride a motorscooter
Kenneth LaQuet	Holding a variety of jobs	(Not to be repeated)	Get rich quick	Bankruptcy
Rose Lembke	Raising angora rabbits	Hey!	Comptometer operator	Selling rabbits
Don Mitchell	Women	Check that stuff!	To be another Casanova	Searching for Amazons in the jungle
Dale Reuss	Television	Holy cow!	Millionaire	Bum
Gene Richter	Cars	Holy cow!	Accordianist	Operator of a bellows for a blacksmith
Velma Rowold	Basketball games	Well, I guess	President's wife	Farmer's wife
Ralph Schrage	Not seeing a movie	Yeah, I mean yes.	Watch for Halley's comet	Get moonstruck
John Surineier	Motorscooter	Down, boy!	To own a Cadillac	Get a Model T
Elsie Wiegand	Television	Baloney!	Nurse	Baby sitter
Evan Zimmermann	Hunting	I hate that!	Playing with a large orchestra	Playing with a burlesque show
Mary Ann Zimmermann	Gabbing	I did it and I'm glad.	Newspaper reporter	Pencil sharpener for the <u>Herald</u>

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Senior Officers

JAMES ALBRECHT, "Jim"

On our team he's the pitching star,
In his baseball he should go far.

Annual Staff 4; Student-Faculty Council 3; President Student-Faculty Council 4; Class President 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.

JO HARPER, "Jogie"

Jo with her long, dark hair,
Is known and liked everywhere.

Photo Club 3; President Photo Club 4; Band 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Vice-President 4.

RITA BIDDLE, "Reet"

When in life she's done her part,
It's sure to be in the line of "Art."

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; President F.H.A. 3; Reporter F.H.A. 2; Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1; Class Vice-President 1; Class Secretary-Treasurer 3, 4; G.A.A. 3.

DONNA CROSSER, "Donnie"

Cute, clever, and full of fun,
Known and loved by everyone.

Annual Staff 4; Chorus 4; G.A.A. 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Student-Faculty Council 4; Vice-President Student-Faculty 4.



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JOYCE CURRY

A quiet miss, yet cheerful too,
Girls like her are very few.

Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2; Class Secretary 1; Student-Faculty Council 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Librarian 1.

MARLENE DOELLING

A humorous lass with plenty to say,
She likes to talk and does all day.

Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2; Student-Faculty Council 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3; Parliamentarian F.H.A. 2; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4.

DONALD GRAUL, "Donnie"

Wherever a witty saying is found
You're sure to find our Don around.
Basketball 1, 2; Photo Club 2, 3, 4.



Seniors

JOAN GUNIA, "Joanie"

Joan is the athletic sort,
Who merits credit in any sport.

Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2; Sextet 2, 3; F.H.A. 2; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; President G.A.A. 4; Secretary Photo Club 4; Cheerleader 4; Librarian 3.

JUNE HECKER, "Hecky"

Friendly and cheerful as can be,
Wherever there's fun, June's sure to be.

Chorus 1; Band 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 3; Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Class President 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Student-Faculty Council 1, 2, 3.

SCHERON KILLIAN, "Scherry"

The little girl with eyes of blue,
She's full of fun and lively, too!

Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1; Band 1, 2, 3.

GEORGE KOLB, "Gerogicums"

A more quiet fellow you'll seldom find,
Easy-going, friendly, kind.

Photo Club 2, 3; Underclassman Play 1.



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VERNA KRASKE
 Verna always did her best,
 And in her class she led the rest.
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 F.H.A. 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Librarian 2.

DIXIE JUEHN, "Dix"
 This is the girl with the dancing feet,
 Her friendly way is hard to beat.
 Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2; F.H.A. 1,
 2, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4.

FIRMIN LANTER, "Blackie"
 Firmin is a friend to all,
 Not too short and not too tall.
 F.F.A. 3, 4; Reporter F.F.A. 4; Annual Staff 4; Photo
 Club 4.



*Lots of luck,
 Verna*



Seniors



KENNETH LaQUET, "The Poet"
 A regular fellow, it is true,
 Full of pep and mischief, too.

ROSE LEMBKE, "Rosie"
 A quiet, fine, and cheerful maid,
 Who's always willing to lend her aid.
 Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Student-
 Faculty Council 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary F.H.A.
 3; President F.H.A. 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Photo Club 4.

DON MITCHELL, "Mitch"
 Smiling, debonair, and neat,
 Hearts of ladies at his feet.
 Annual Staff 4; Band 3, 4; Chorus 3; Class President 2;
 Photo Club 3, 4; Underclassman Play 1; Student-Faculty
 Council 2.

DALE REUSS, "Roses"
 You would have to go far to find
 A boy that equals Dale's kind.
 Baseball 2, 3, 4; Student-Faculty Council 1; Photo Club 4.

Dale Reuss



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GENE RICHTER
A tall and slender guy,
Who's sure to succeed by and by.
Annual Staff 4; Class Treasurer 3; Student-Faculty Council 4; Photo Club 2.

VELMA ROWOLD, "Velm"
Bright of hair and also of smile,
A girl like Velma is a pal worth while.
Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Parliamentarian F.H.A. 4; Historian F.H.A. 2; G.A.A. 2, 4; Librarian 3, 4.

RALPH SCHRAGE, "Bugs"
Not so shy as he used to be,
Here's a lad with a jolly personality
Photo Club 4.



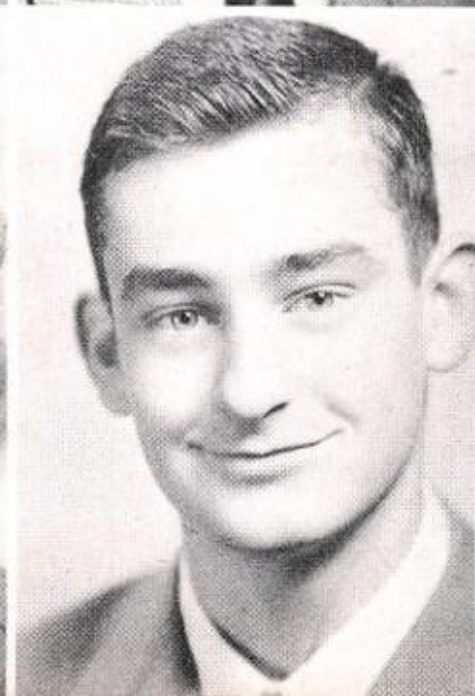
Seniors

ROBERT STARRON, "Stubby"
To have his friendship is really a treat,
Boys like Bob are hard to beat.
(Robert Starron moved to California in November.)

JOHN SURMEIER, "Soupy"
A wittier fellow cannot be found,
Things liven up when he's around.
Photo Club 3, 4.

ELSIE WIEGAND, "Else"
A charming girl with a friendly smile,
She helps to make the day worth while.
Annual Staff 4; Hi-Lites Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; Treasurer F.H.A. 3; Vice-President F.H.A. 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Photo Club 4.

EVAN ZIMMERMANN, "Zip"
Zip was absent from school again today,
Could hunting season have kept him away?
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Chorus 3; Photo Club 3, 4.



Last Will And Testament

KUEHN,

We, the class of 1952 in the city of Mascoutah, the county of St. Clair, and the state of Illinois, being in full possession of mind, with a few noble exceptions, and having memories that put the Encyclopedia Britannica to shame, do hereby dispose of our multitudinous and mellow, numerous and noteworthy possessions and talents in the form of a will.

The senior class is survived by a junior class, a sophomore class, and a freshman class. The first mentioned will be appointed to the place left vacant by the untimely decease of the senior class, but can in no measure fill the position.

In this manner we do dispose of our possessions: To the Junior class, our rightful heirs, we bequeath our most valuable property--our well-worn thinging caps, our dignity, our class spirit (the best brand known), and our seats in the study hall.

To the sophomore class we leave our ability to jump to safety when a teacher asked us a question we did not know and the right to annoy the freshmen.

To the freshman class we leave our unfailing good humor in the face of trying hours we suffered when we, too, were young and unsophisticated.

To the school itself we leave all the time we wasted and hope that other classes use it advantageously.

To individuals we bequeath the following possessions:

- I, Jim Albrecht, bequeath my ability to go steady with a cheerleader to Frank Vollmer.
- I, Ralph Schrage, will my skill in doing push-ups to John Pfeiffer.
- I, Dixie Lee Kuehn, leave my dancing ability to Audrey Reeble.
- I, Kenneth LaQuet, leave my ability to get "messed up" in bookkeeping to Harold Hamann.
- I, Rose Lembke, will my sweet personality to Faye Himes.
- I, George Kolb, leave my quietness to Louie Hughes.
- I, Mary Ann Zimmermann, leave my ability to find a boy with the same last name to Marilyn Lehman.
- I, John Surmeier, will my nickname, "Stupy Soupy", to anyone who can qualify for it.
- I, Joan Gunia, will my braces to George Justus.
- I, Gene Richter, bequeath my height to "Corky" Helms.
- I, Evan Zimmermann, leave my ability to make the teachers earn their living the hard way to Joel Winker.
- I, Jo Harper, leave my comfortable, worn-down, out-of-shape moccasins to anyone with sore feet.
- I, Velma Rowold, leave my ability in basketball to Rose Schmidt.
- I, Dale Reuss, leave my ability to get along with the teachers to Robert Poirot.
- I, Elsie Wiegand, leave my interest in playing the accordion to anyone who is interested.
- I, Robert Starron, bequeath my ability to keep the bench warm and find lost foul balls in baseball to Paul Cleland.
- I, Marlene Doelling, will my interest in the St. Louis Cardinals to Howard Boller.
- I, Rita Biddle, bequeath my ability to handle money (?) to the treasurer of the junior class.
- I, Firmin Lanter, leave my winter seat in the bus to Marcel Frerker.
- I, Donna Crosser, will my curly hair to Marilyn Zapp.
- I, Don Graul, leave my ability to have my assignments written just on the days the teacher collects them to Kenneth McDaniel.
- I, Joyce Curry, bequeath my ability to be seen and not heard to Shirley Spanley.
- I, Don Mitchell, leave my ability to charm the ladies to Tommy Weyenberg.
- I, Cecile Erichs, leave my good taste in clothes to Shirley Erb.

We, June Hecker, Scheron Kilian, and Verna Kraske, the writers of this last will and testament--leave, To, Miss Steines and Mr. Votrain, our class sponsors, we leave a few peaceful moments, which they so justly deserve.

In witness whereof we have set the hand and seal of the class of 1952 this 29th day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

Signed: Senior Class of 1952
Witnessess: Verna Kraske
June Hecker
Scheron Kilian



Senior Class Prophecy

After spending ten years teaching kindergarten in Germany, I decided to visit my home town and see how my classmates of the class of 1952 of Mascoutah Community High School had set out to gain their fame and fortune. My assistant, Joyce Curry, who has become very famous for her course in "Technicalities of German for Kindergarten," was also eager to see Mascoutah and gladly consented to go with me.

One bright, sunny day we boarded one of the many magnificent planes of Graul's Atomic Airlines in New York and were made very comfortable by our former classmate, the cheerful little airline hostess, Scheron Kilian, whom we were glad to see. When she told us that Ralph Schrage was the pilot of our plane, we buckled our safety belts a notch tighter and tried to relax.

When we passed over the Indianapolis Speedway we glanced down to see thousands of people. Scheron said they were cheering John Surmeier, whose "souped-up" cars had beaten all existing records.

We arrived at the Mascoutah Municipal Airport just in time to see Jo Harper, who was just leaving for New York in her won plane to buy her spring wardrobe.

The former Velma Rowold, now the wife of a prosperous farmer, happened to be in town and met us. When we started through town we saw that it had increased tremendously in size. Velma said that the development of the city was largely due to the efforts and genius of the architect, George Kolb. Since she knew about many of our old classmates, we quickly agreed when she offered to take us to the town's largest restaurant and tell us about them. We found the owner of "The Greasy Spoon" to be none other than Donna Crosser. June Hecker and Elsie Wiegand were the waitresses who daily collected the largest amount in tips.

James Albrecht, according to Velma, had recently given up his position as editor of the NEW YORK TIMES to run for President of the United States. He decided that that office could present no difficulties after he successfully piloted the class of 1952 through their senior year. Rita Biddle, now happily married, spends her spare time as feature writer for the woman's page of the MASCOUTAH HERALD. Kenneth Laquet is the present mayor of Mascoutah. Firmin Lanter has long been the richest farmer around Mascoutah. Dale Reuss is operating a gigantic super market in Fayetteville, known far and wide for its astronomical prices. Rose Lembke and Joan Gunia are operating an ice-cream stand in Stringtown.

Velma said several of our other classmates had left Mascoutah and had become very famous in their respective fields. Marlene Doelling is touring the country with her air-cooled typewriter and amazing people by typing 200 words a minute without errors. Don Mitchell had opened dance studios in the major cities all over the United States and employs Dixie Kuehn as his chief instructor in St. Louis. Gene Richter is now professor of mathematics at Harvard and already has discovered many short solutions for algebra problems that Einstein had never dreamed of.

Because it was getting late Velma had to say farewell, and we went to our hotel. We turned on the television set and were just wondering whether we had heard of all our classmates when whom should we see but Evan Zimmermann and his famous band playing his own famous arrangement of "Sloptown Blues." His featured soloist was Mary Ann Zimmermann.

We were very happy that all our classmates had found fine places in this busy world.

Verna Kraske

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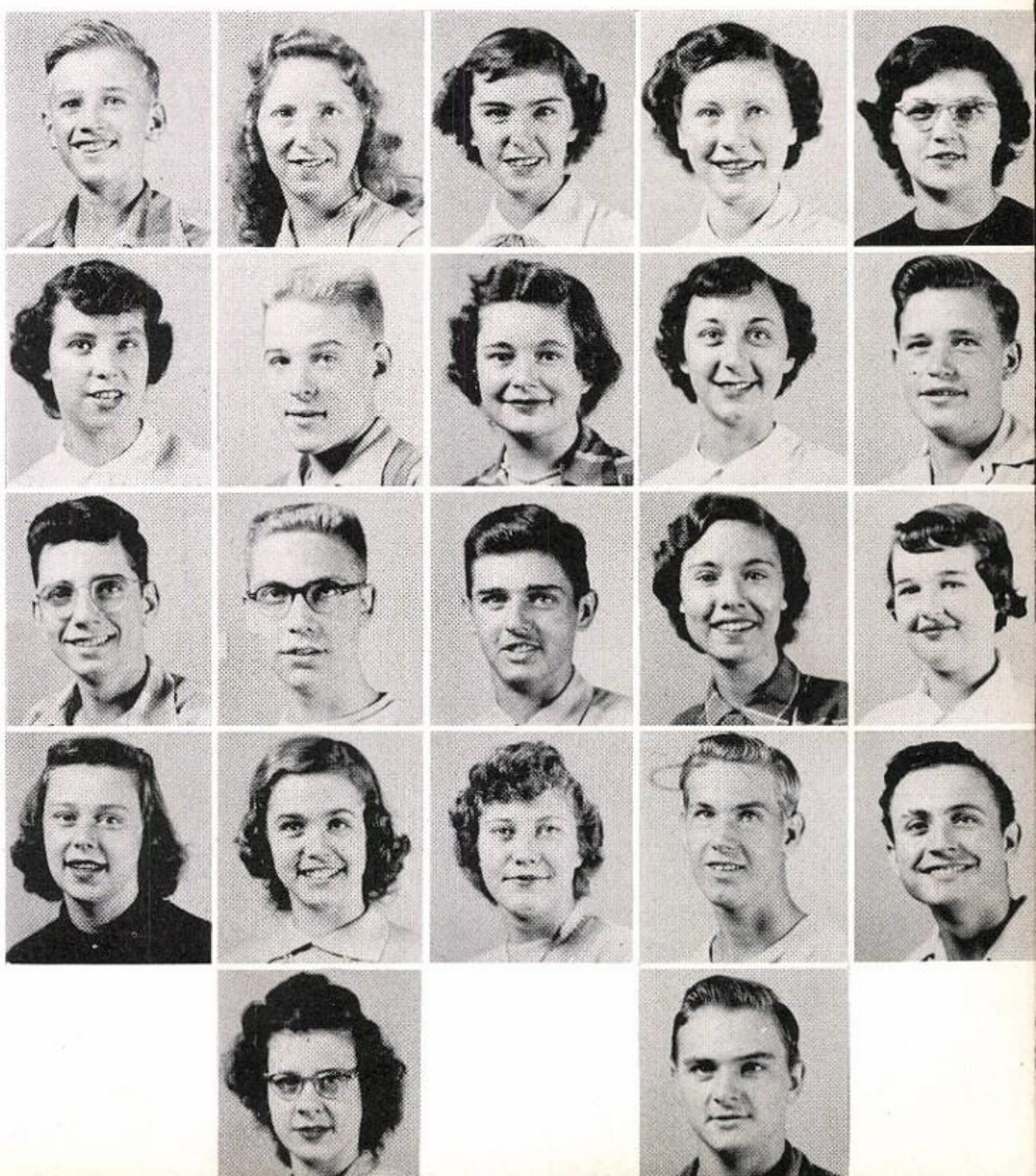
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Junior Class





Sophomore Class

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Joyce Arnone
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Suzanne Bois
George Christ

Arnold Feldt
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Bobby Klucker
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Just of luck
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Shirley Crosser

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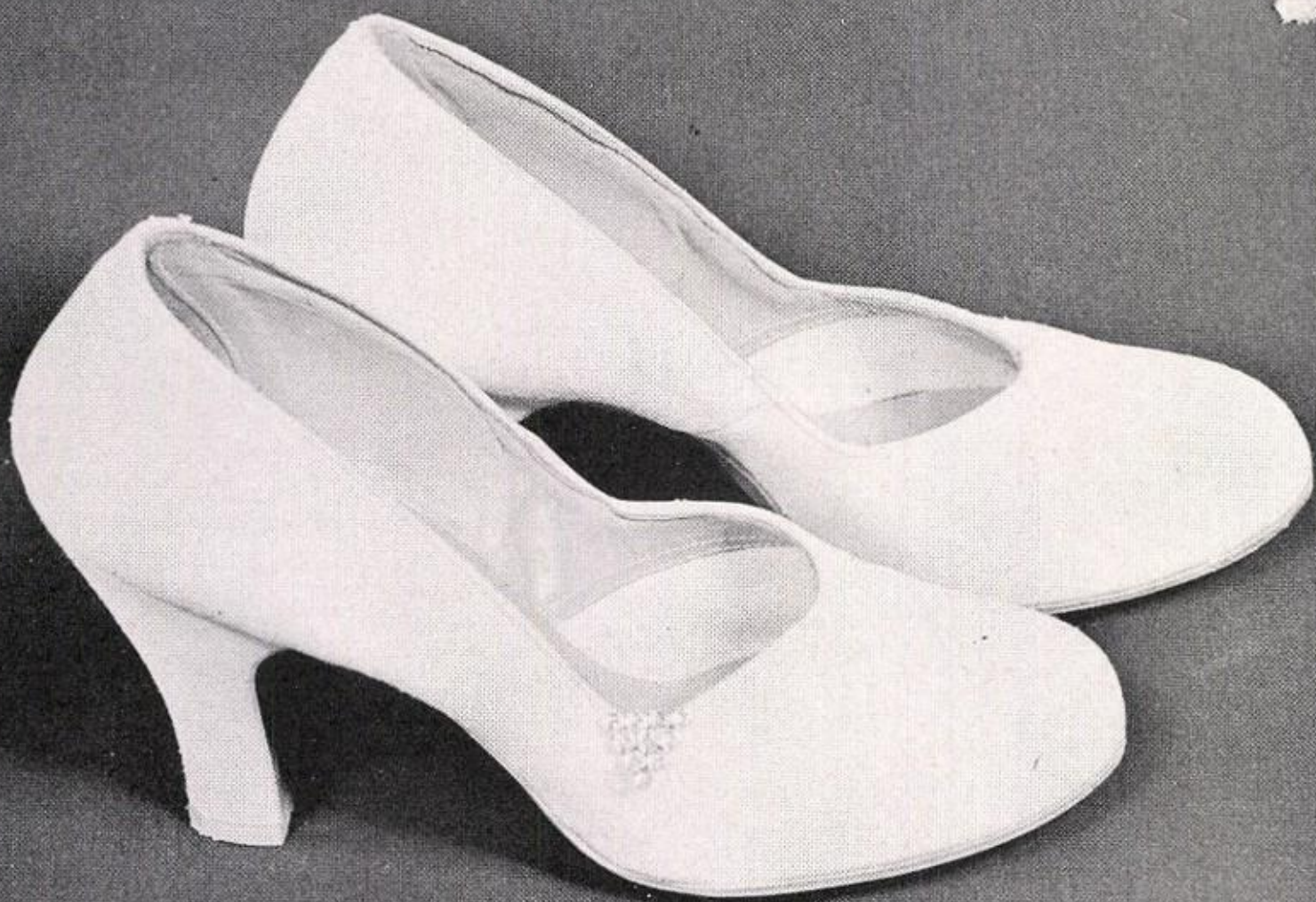
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Freshman Class







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Student-Faculty Council

The Student-Faculty Council is composed of representatives from each class in high school and two faculty sponsors, Miss Graesser and Mr. Stout.

The officers of the group are James Albrecht, president; Donna Crosser, vice-president; Peggy Perrottet, secretary; and Terry Plab, treasurer. During the course of the year the council has sponsored an all-school wiener roast, supervision of Open House, Christmas program, and Christmas decorations in the study hall and the gymnasium.

The Student-Faculty Council discusses problems affecting the whole student body and endeavors to see that social and recreational activities are provided for and enjoyed by everyone.



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 Photography Jo Harper, Marlene Doelling
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Hi-Lites Staff

Editor	Velma Rowold
Assistant Editors	Marlene Doelling
	Donna Crosser
Sports	Jo Harper
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Class News	Elsie Wiegand
Gossip	Scheron Kilian
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Band

During the past year the band has been under the direction of Mr. Frank J. Macke, who is a member of the recently formed St. Clair Bandmasters' Association. The association is made up of the bandmasters from the schools in St. Clair County.

Our band, which is composed of six trumpets, three saxophones, five trombones, three clarinets, three snare drums, one bass drum and cymbels, has been playing at the basketball games and P.T.A. meetings and will play for Commencement, the school picnic, and the Memorial Day service. Two small groups, consisting of Donnie Klingelhofer, Shirley Spanley, Ima Jean Bassler, Peggy Perrottet, Carol Knipp, and Evan Zimmermann, presented programs over the radio, for the P.T.A., and for the Rotary Club.

Mr. Macke has worked diligently with the band and has produced some favorable results.



Chorus



KNEELING: H. Knipp, Bassler, Schulze, McNaughton, Donner, Martin. SEATED, FRONT ROW: B. Dietz, Zapp, Phillips, Schroeder, S. Funk, B. Gaul, C. Dietz, Feldt, S. Crosser, Ohlendorf. MIDDLE ROW: Barttelbort, Payer, Schmidt, Berberich, Himes, M. Schneider, Klingelhofer, Roberson, Erb, D. Surmeier, Mrs. Pinnell. BACK ROW: Perrottet, Born, Martha Hoerd, Stahl, Stanley, Marjorie Hoerd, I. Richter, Proffitt, Cameron, Reeble.

The girls' chorus, which consists of 39 members, meets during the eighth hour on Thursday and Friday. The director is Mrs. Pinnell, and Peggy Perrottet is the accompanist. The double sextet, composed of Carol Martin, Carol Donner, Marjorie Hoerd, Carol Knipp, Peggy McNaughton, Patsy Schulze, Marlene Schneider, Bonnie Gaul, Marilyn Zapp, Helen Knipp, Ima Jean Bassler, and Doris Phillips, sang at the Christmas program for the students and for several P.T.A. meetings. The first sextet sang over WIBV at Christmas time.



Photography Club



FRONT ROW: R. Munie, Stein, Winker, Poirot, Meinhardt, Christ, Handley, Eidman, D. Leonhardt. MIDDLE ROW: S. Crosser, Bassett, Zapp, Nichols, McNaughton, Richardson, Cleland, Azling, Bretsch, J. Noeninger, Justus. BACK ROW: Wiegand, Koski, Ohlendorf, Lembke, Griesbaum, Stahl, Kolb, Plab, Fritz, Boller, Proffitt, Feldt, Fellows, Reuss, Born, Schulze, Mr. Wood, Gunia, Klucker, Harper, Morton, Gillissie, Frerking, Rehbein, Pfeiffer, Ohl, Lanter, Winkler, Schrage, Glaeser, Mitchell, Mr. Glover.

The officers of the Photography Club are as follows: Jo Harper, president; Glenn Morton, vice-president; Joan Gunia, secretary; Gary Gillissie, treasurer; Patsy Schulze, reporter.

Although the Photography Club has lost one of its sponsors, Mr. Wood, and its treasurer, Gary Gillissie, we have had a fine year. The club has forty-seven members, who are trying very hard to learn the "hows and whys" of photography. The sponsor of the club, Mr. Glover, is very proud of the advancement and cooperation of the members.





SEATED: Miss Walden, Wiegand, Lembke, Rowold, Gaul, Spanley, Richter, Payer. STANDING: Fixott, Meier, S. Crosser, C. Dietz, Marjorie Hoerd, Kraske, Feldt, H. Knipp, Barttelbort, J. Funk.

Future Homemakers of America



The officers of the F.H.A. are Rose Lembke, president; Elsie Wiegand, vice-president; Margie Hoerd, secretary; Bonnie Gaul, treasurer; Velma Rowold, parliamentarian; Shirley Spanley, historian; Helen Knipp, reporter; Iona Richter, projects chairman; Verna Kraske, recreation chairman; Anita Feldt, song leader. The chapter mothers are Mrs. Frank Lembke and Mrs. Harvey Klingelhofer.

Under the sponsorship of Miss Walden the F.H.A. has accomplished the following things during the year: installation of officers, F.H.A. week, selling of greeting cards, Christmas party, bundle week, a bake sale, F.F.A. and F.H.A. box social, mother-daughter banquet, U. N. Day, Rally Day skit, and the spring style show.

SEATED: Biddle, Klopmeier, Kuehn, Zapp, Kolb, M. Schneider, Stahl, Klingel, Klingelhofer. STANDING: Klein, Wilmsmeyer, Fritz, Miss Walden, Berberich, Gramm, J. Schneider, Doelling, Griesbaum.





FRONT ROW: Blackmer, C. Munie, Sauerhage, Frerker, Plab, Lanter, Mr. Daigh, MIDDLE ROW: Christ, Hamann, Weyenberg, Justus, R. Munie, Dickhaut, N. Richter, P. Knipp, Vollmer. BACK ROW: Rowold, Eidman, Stein, Klucker, Krausz, Frerking, Hoehner.

Future Farmers of America

The Mascoutah chapter of the Future Farmers of America with twenty-three members is one of the largest in several years. The officers are as follows: Marcel Frerker, president; Terry Plab, vice-president; Troy Sauerhage, secretary; Clarence Munie, treasurer; Frank Vollmer, sentinel; Firmin Lanter, reporter.

The first activity of the F.F.A. this year was selling greeting cards of all kinds. The chapter members sold approximately 190 boxes. Next on the calendar was a pest contest in which two sides competed in killing birds and animals harmful to the farmer. The losers treated the winners to a chili supper. On January 23 the annual donkey basketball game was held. On February 13 the F.F.A. in cooperation with the Future Homemakers of America held a box social, at which Carolyn Nichols was chosen the F.F.A. Sweetheart. In a grain and poultry-judging contest at Sparta Mascoutah, competing against 18 schools, placed first in poultry judging and fourth in grain judging.



Senior Play

MISS JIMMY

Presented on April 17

Directed by Mr. Roy Griebel

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Louise, a sophomore at Brier Mountain College for Women.		Donna Crosser
Florence, her roommate		Velma Rowold
Catherine, a junior living across the hall		Elsie Wiegand
Doris, her freshman roommate		Jo Harper
Harriet, a senior who lives next door		Marlene Doelling
Droopy, the negro man-of-all-work		John Surmeier
Miss Watkins, dean of Brier College for Women		Verna Kraske
Jimmy, a stray junior from the state university		Firmin Lanter
Professor Frazier, Rhodes scholar and instructor in English		Ralph Schrage

"Miss Jimmy" deals with the laugh-provoking adventures of Jimmy, a college youth who enters the dormitory of an exclusive girls' school in search of a dress.

The school is so exclusive that the girls never have a chance to meet any men other than their fathers, brothers, and cousins. Jimmy enters at a time when the situation is the darkest, and it looks as if the girls are not going to be able to get together enough young men to make their spring prom a success.

Jimmy is caught and is forced to dress in the clothes he has stolen to avoid being caught, but too late! To make certain there will be an abundance of young men at their prom the girls decide to hold Jimmy for ransom until his friends come to the prom. Everything would have worked out fine but for the arrival of the chief of police, who is an authority on kidnapping.

It is only with the aid of Droopy, the negro janitor, that "Miss" Jimmy is able to escape--after promising to come back for the prom.



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SEATED: Perrottet, Donner, McDaniel. STANDING: Maddox, Mr. Griebel, Blassler, Spanley, Weyenberg, Bassett, Hughes, Schulze, S. Crosser, Helms.

Underclassman Play

GREAT CAESAR'S GHOST!

A Comedy in Three Acts

by

William Fisher

Directed by Mr. Roy Griebel

Presented on November 19, 1951

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mrs. Penelope Maxwell, exceedingly scatter-brained	Patsy Schulze
Helen Maxwell, pretty, well-dressed young lady	Ima Jean Bassler
Mrs. Phoebe De Royster, impressed with her social position	Carol Donner
Deborah De Royster, domineered by her mother	Shirley Crosser
Phineas Farthingale, archeologist	Louie Hughes
Tommy Tucker, handsome young man, object of Helen's affections	
.	Edward Maddox
Aunt Polly Maxwell, Penelope's sister-in-law and opposite	Peggy Perrottet
Johnson, Maxwell's befuddled butler	Tommy Weyenberg
Esther, new maid with eye on Johnson	Sharon Bassett
Mahjah the Mystic, an Oriental of dubious origin	Kenneth McDaniel
Dick O'Donnell, a neighborhood lad	Carmett Helms
Hattie, the Maxwells' cook	Shirley Spanley

SYNOPSIS OF THE PLAY

Helen Maxwell wishes to marry Tommy Tucker, of whom her mother, Penelope, disapproves. While Penelope and Mrs. Phoebe De Royster are having a seance with Mahjah the Mystic, Phineas Farthingale, accompanied by the ghost of an Inca chief, and Aunt Polly Maxwell arrive. Tommy, Helen, Phineas, and Polly, with the aid of the ghost, devise a method to make Penelope fond of Tommy. At Phineas' suggestion they decide to pretend that Mrs. Maxwell and Mrs. De Royster are invisible. When Phoebe and Penelope come home they are so convinced of their being invisible that they agree to pay the Mahjah \$10,000 to make them visible again. When Esther, the maid, discovers that the two women signed a note to the Mahjah, she is hypnotized by him. Unaware of this fact, the other members of the family stage a mock seance which Penelope and Phoebe attend. Soon Penelope is agreeing to the marriage of Helen and Tommy, and Phoebe is agreeing to stop dominating her daughter, Deborah, in order that both Phoebe and Penelope may become visible again. Shortly after the seance is over the other members of the family discover that Esther has been hypnotized and upon reviving her, discover the scandal. The ghost then apprehends the Mahjah and gets the note. The play ends happily with Phoebe and Penelope's promise never to attend seances again, the marriage of Tommy and Helen, and that of Phineas and Polly.

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Chucklebait

MR. GRIEBEL: "Give me an example of indirect taxation."

JO HARPER: "The dog tax, sir."

MR. GRIEBEL: "How is that?"

JO HARPER: "The dog does not have to pay it."

MISS HUCKE: "Give three collective nouns."

JAMES P.: "Flypaper, wastebasket, and vacuum cleaner."

Tommy W. was obviously reeling out a heavy line trying to impress the beautiful young girl at his side. "Those warm lips. And those beautiful eyes! Where did you get those eyes?"

The girl answered, unimpressed, "They came with my head."

MR. VOTRAIN: "You can't sleep in my class."

TERRY P.: "If you didn't talk so loud, I could."

MARY ANN: "But, Snookums, be reasonable! After all, we can't live on love."

ZIP: "I don't see why not. Your family loves you."

Know why the little moron took vitamin pills after he was hit by a car?

He heard that vitamins were good for run-down people.

JIM A.: "I've never seen such dreamy eyes."

SHIRLEY S.: "You never stayed so late before."

SCHERON K.: "Let's cut Home Economics today."

JUNE H.: "Can't. I need the sleep."

"I shall now illustrate what I have in mind," said the teacher as he erased the board.

MR. GLOVER: "What is the most outstanding product that Chemistry has given to the world?"
DON M. "Blondes."

MISS STEINES: "Robert Burns wrote 'To a Mouse'."

RALPH S.: "I'll bet he didn't get an answer."

SHORTY M. (coming home with his report card): "I was the highest of all who failed."

Once upon a time a man used to get out of the way of a woman driver through chivalry. Not now.....it's sheer panic.

SHARON B.: "I can't decide whether to go to a palmist or a mind reader."

CAROL D.: "Better make it a palmist....you know you have a palm."

MR. GARVIN: "Aren't you ashamed to be seen here in the office so often?"

ZIP: "Why, no, sir, I always thought it was a very respectable place."

"They laughed at me when I sat down at the piano -- I had forgotten to bring the stool."

MISS WALTHER: "How far were you from the correct answer?"

BOBBY K.: "Only three seats."

Little Eddie finished his nightly prayer -- "and please make St. Louis the capital of Missouri. Amen."

"Why, Eddie!" exclaimed his mother, deeply shocked. "Why on earth did you say such a thing?"

"Because," explained Eddie, snuggling down under his blanket, "I put that on my examination paper today."

The night was warm; the room was dark;
Not any light, not even a spark
Shone on the two, as they sat there alone--
The little brown pup, and his chicken bone.



ATHLETICS



SEATED: Feldt, Ohlendorf, L. Bunn, Barttelbort, Payer, C. Knipp, Fixott, Bassett. KNEELING: Meier, D. Surmeier, S. Funk, Spanley, B. Gaul, B. Dietz, Donner, Bassler, Perrottet, Reeble, Erb. STANDING: C. Dietz, Hullung, Brendel, F. Haas, Carle, Phillips, E. Haas, Proffitt, Roberson, S. Crosser, Miss Walther.

Girls' Athletic Association

The Girls' Athletic Association under the sponsorship of Miss Walther met every Thursday for a combined business meeting and a period of tournament play.

Members bowled every Wednesday afternoon throughout the winter months. During the early fall and late spring hiking took the place of bowling as members had to accumulate thirty miles to enable them to receive credit for hiking toward their awards.

There are four possible awards: two local and two state. For the first local award 600 points are required; for the second local, 1200; for the first state, 1600; and for the second state, 2000. A portion of each requirement must be met through health points.

The G.A.A. entered the state G.A.A. bowling and goal shooting tournaments. Though inter-school competition in team sports is not allowed to participating members of the Illinois League of High School G.A.A.'s, playdays are sponsored in both the fall and spring of the year to enable the girls to play on mixed teams with various schools. This year the girls attended playday at Granite City in the fall and at O'Fallon in the spring.

Two girls elected by the organization will have a week at G.A.A. camp during the summer with all expenses paid.

An award to be given to the senior who, in the opinion of the organization, has done the most for the group is to be started this year and will be given annually.

G.A.A. officers this year are as follows: Joan Gunia, president; Sharon Funk, vice-president; Iona Richter, secretary; and Ima Jean Bassler, treasurer.

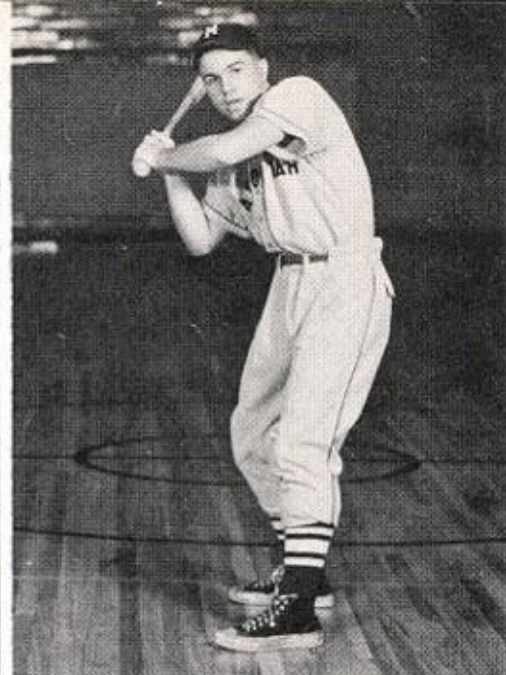
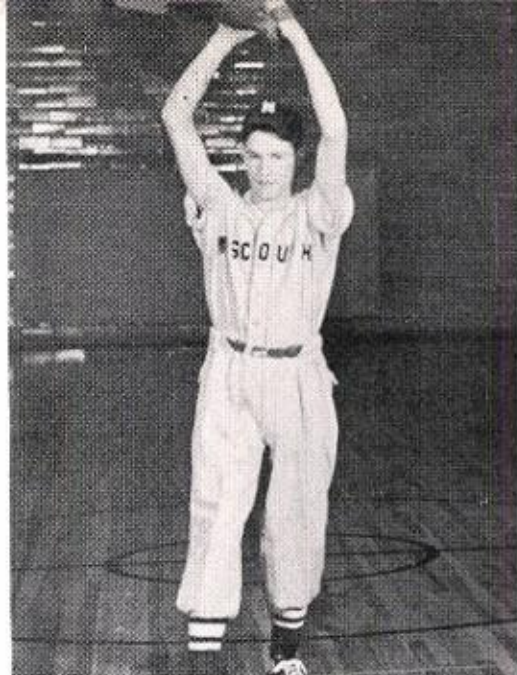


SEATED: Arnone, M. Schneider, Doelling, Gunia, Kilian, D. Crosser, Hecker, Kuehn, Wiegand. KNEELING: Zapp, Martin, Martha Hoerd, Klingelhofer, H. Knipp, Marjorie Hoerd, I. Richter, Kolb, Wilmsmeyer, Kraske. STANDING: Fritz, Lembke, Berberich, M. Surmeier, Stahl, Klingel, Jamison, Gramm, Klopmeier, Miss Walther.





*Best of luck to
a swell senior
- David*



*Dale
Reuss*

James Albrecht

Dale Reuss

Arnold Feldt

Robert Starron

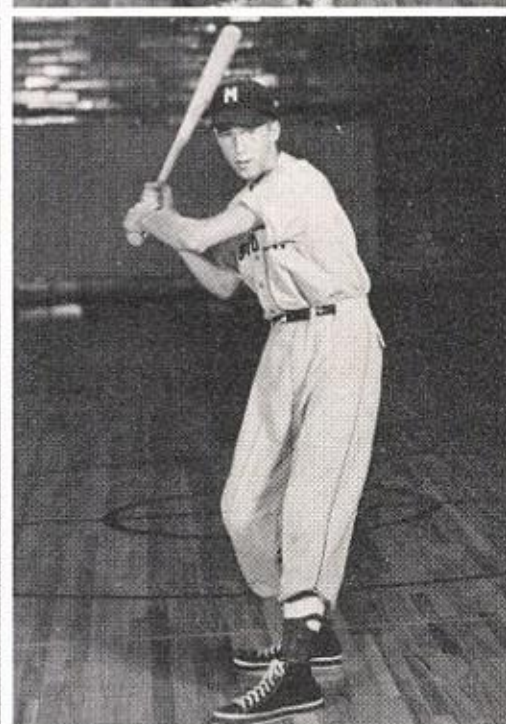
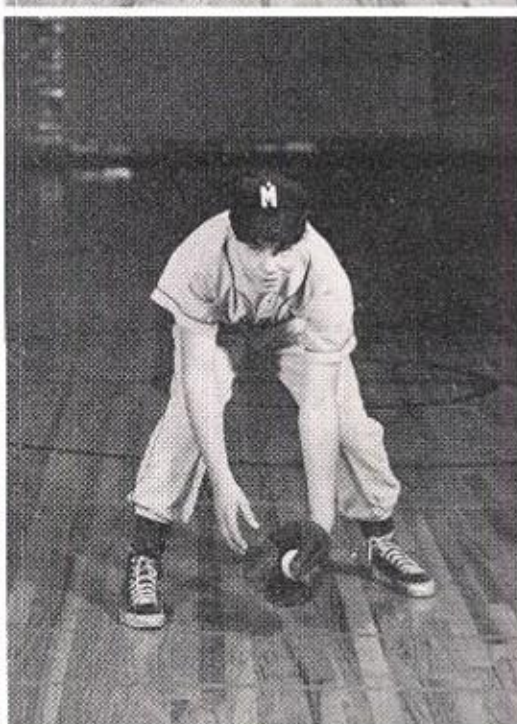
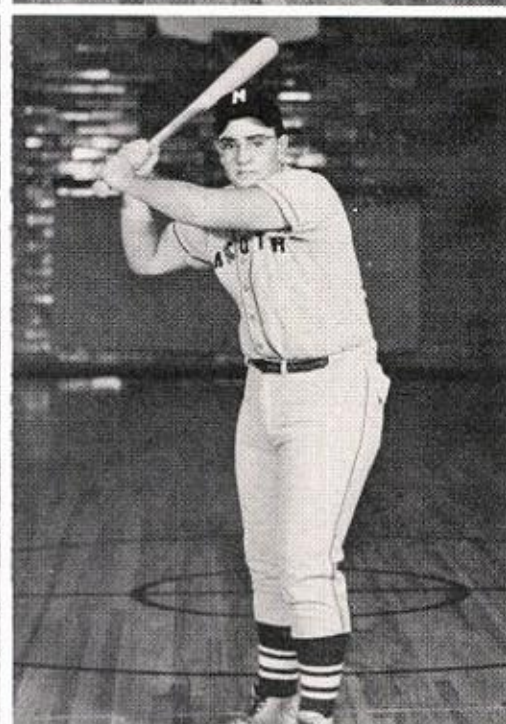
Howard Boller

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Richard Teichmann

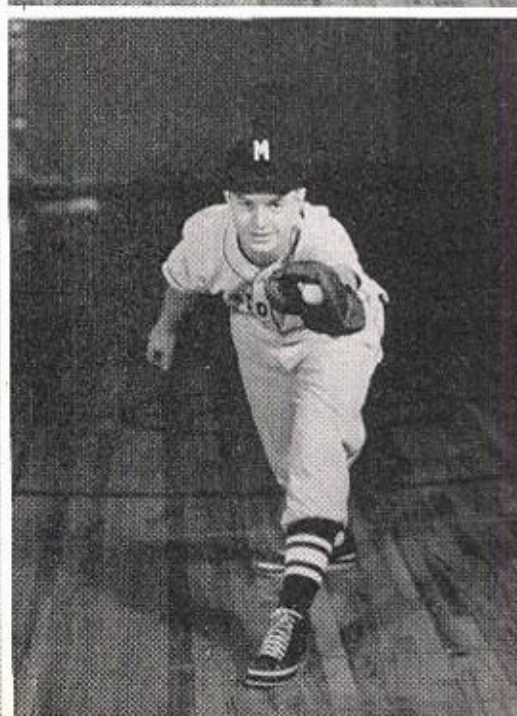
Clarence Munie

David Heberer



Baseball

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FRONT ROW: Bretsch, P. Knipp, Albrecht, R. Munie, Teichmann, Plab, Boller. BACK ROW: Mr. Votrain, Azling, Heberer, C. Munie, Feldt, Starron, Cleland, Winker, Reuss.

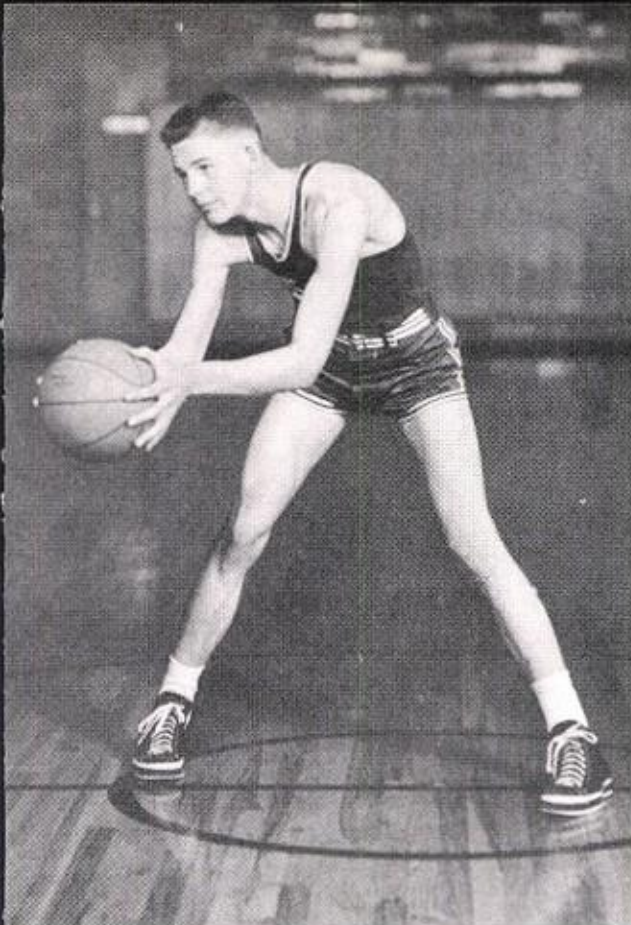
BASEBALL SCHEDULE			WE	THEY
DATE		PLACE		
Aug. 30	New Athens	There	2	1
Sept. 4	New Baden	There	3	0
Sept. 7	Lebanon	Here	4	1
Sept. 10	O'Fallon	There	4	5
Sept. 11	Waterloo	Here	4	3
Sept. 13	Freeburg	There	3	1
Sept. 17	New Athens	Here	0	7
Sept. 20	Waterloo	There	4	6
Sept. 25	New Baden	Here	17	1
Sept. 27	Lebanon	There	20	4
Oct. 1	O'Fallon	Here	4	6
Oct. 4	Freeburg	Here	1	5

Baseball

		AB	H	R	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	SAC	HP	BA
IF-P	Plab	48	15	10	3	0	1	4	2	0	1	.349
OF	F. Munie	5	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	.333
IF-P	Albrecht	47	13	7	1	1	0	3	2	0	0	.295
C	Feldt	45	10	7	0	0	0	6	4	1	1	.270
IF	Winker	21	5	5	1	0	0	2	7	0	0	.263
OF-C	Heberer	31	6	8	1	0	0	6	5	0	0	.240
IF	Teichmann	43	8	7	2	0	0	4	12	1	2	.222
IF	Starron	25	5	3	0	0	0	1	7	1	0	.217
OF	Reuss	45	8	11	0	0	0	4	11	1	0	.200
IF	Boller	39	5	8	0	0	0	7	8	0	0	.166
OF	C. Munie	26	2	3	0	0	0	4	7	0	0	.091
OF	Cleland	26	2	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	.080

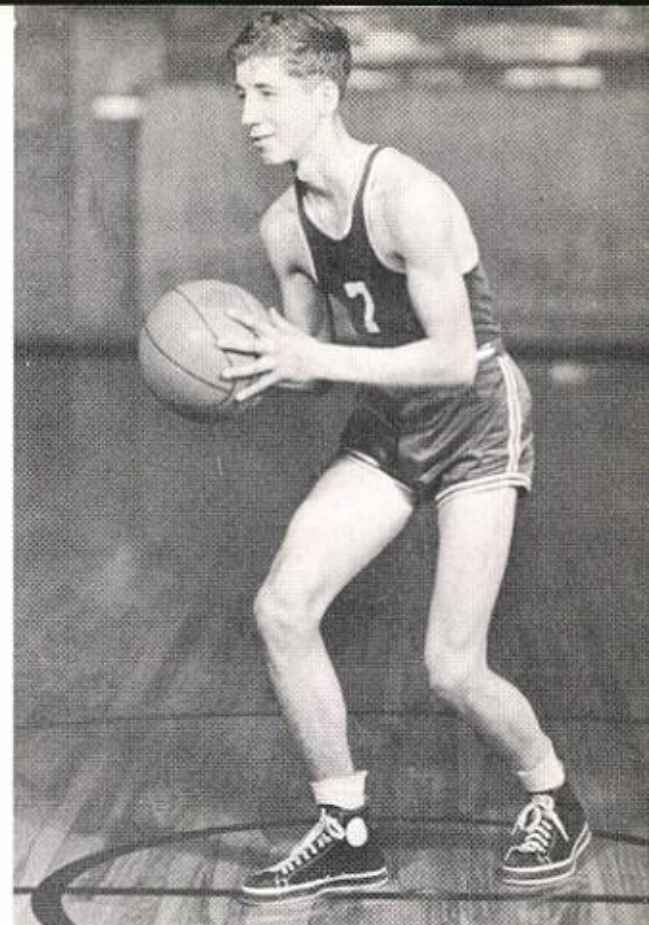
The Indians had a fairly successful season with a record of seven victories and five losses. They placed fourth in the Cahokia Conference, while O'Fallon took first place for the third straight time. Albrecht, Plab, and Feldt did the pitching. Albrecht won three and lost three, Plab won three and lost two, and Feldt won the only game he pitched. Plab was the only Indian to "connect for a four-bagger." Ronnie Munie and Albrecht each had a triple. The team batting average was .244. In the field the team committed 35 errors. The Indians scored 65 runs as compared with their opponents' 40.

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Arnold Feldt

Terry Plab

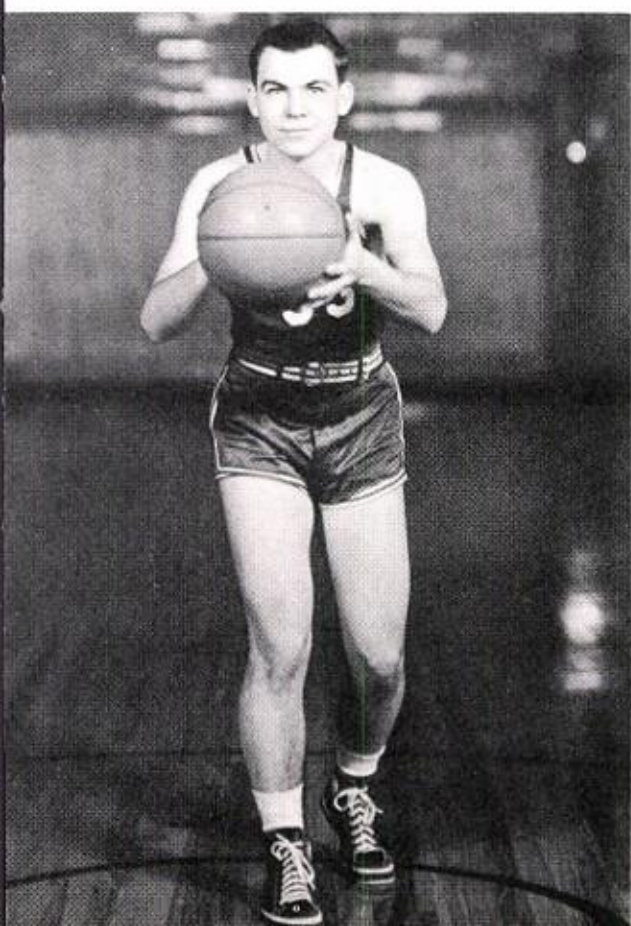


Basketball

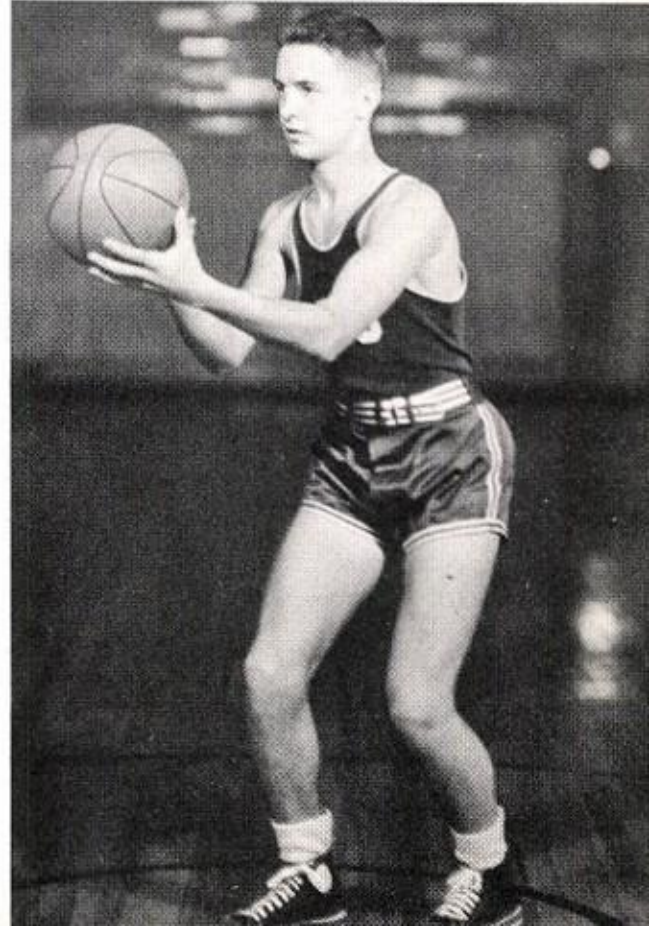
James Albrecht



Howard Boller



Richard Teichmann



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Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	SCORE	
			WE	THEY
Nov. 16	Waterloo *	Here	40	72
Nov. 20	New Athens *	There	44	51
Nov. 30	Lebanon *	There	44	60
Dec. 4	Marissa	There	57	64
Dec. 7	New Baden *	Here	46	29
Dec. 14	Freeburg *	There	63	36
Dec. 18	Dupo *	Here	58	63
Dec. 21	Marissa	Here	61	51

Christmas Holiday Tournament at O'Fallon, December 26-29

	New Athens		41	43
Jan. 4	O'Fallon *	There	40	58
Jan. 9	St. Mary's (Carlyle)	There	46	44
Jan. 15	Lebanon *	Here	59	58
Jan. 18	New Athens *	Here	56	55
Jan. 25	Aviston	There	36	42
Jan. 29	Madison	Here	50	60

Junior Tournament held at Freeburg

	Lebanon		37	40
Feb. 1	New Baden *	There	62	35
Feb. 5	Carlyle	Here	41	45
Feb. 8	Freeburg *	Here	33	29
Feb. 12	Dupo *	There	54	60
Feb. 15	O'Fallon *	Here	50	61
Feb. 19	Waterloo *	There	56	81

District Tournament held at Freeburg February 26-29

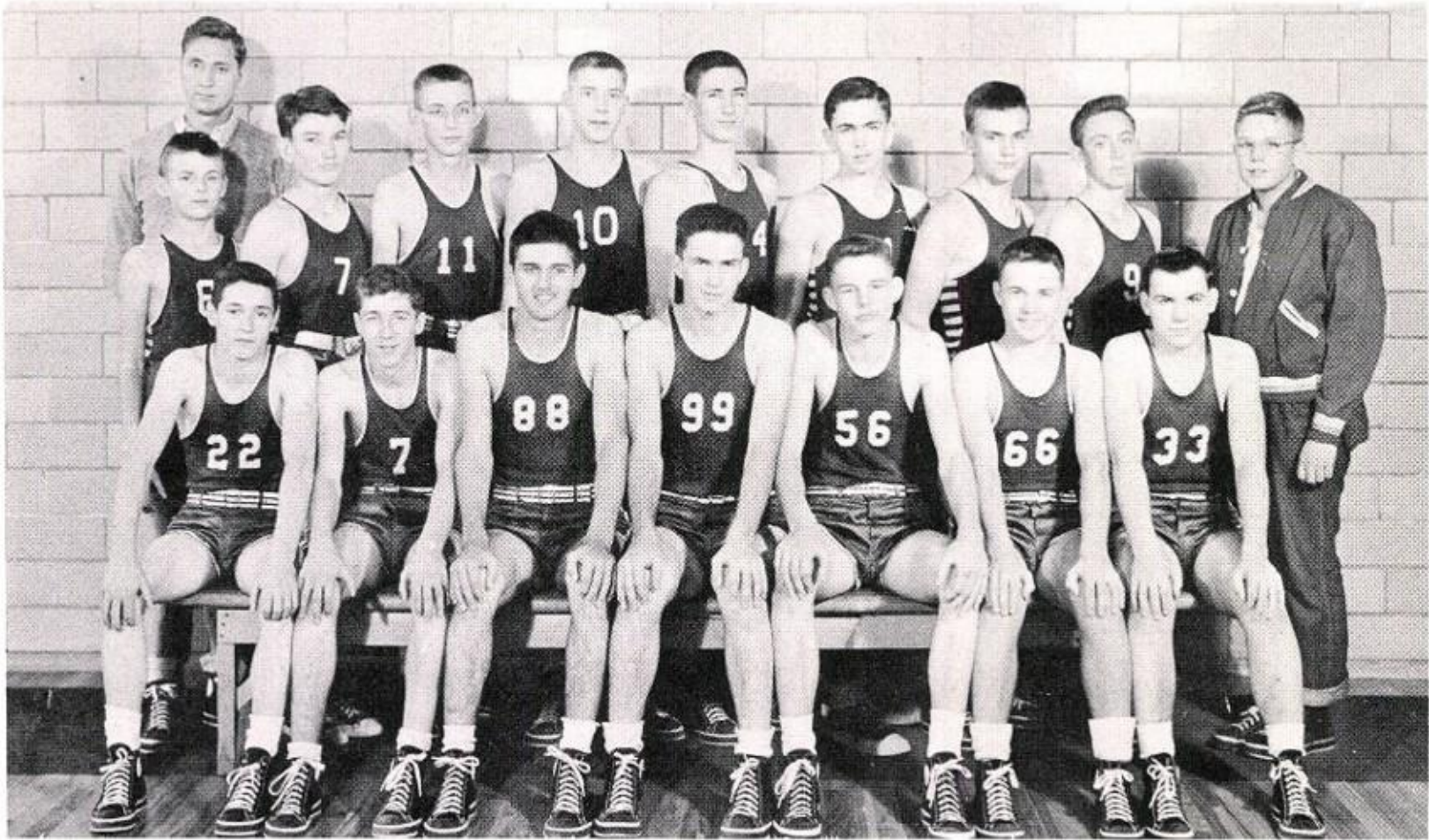
	Waterloo		39	81
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Sparta Junior Tournament March 10-15

* Conference Game



Basketball



FRONT ROW: Albrecht, Plab, C. Munie, Stein, Feldt, Teichmann, Boller. BACK ROW: Coach Votrain, N. Richter, Azling, Rowold, Winker, Heberer, Smith, R. Munie, Knipp, Bradshaw.

The record for the basketball squad this was nine victories and eleven defeats. The varsity squad was composed of the following: Terry Plab, guard; Jim Albrecht, guard; Richard Teichmann, forward; Howard Boller, forward; Clarence Munie, forward; Arnold Feldt, center; Allen Stein, center.

The high-point men were Albrecht with 274 and Plab with 188. The team average was 50 points per game to the opponents' 52. The total number of points scored by Mascoutah was 1016 to the opponents' 1041. Albrecht had the best free-throw average with 72%; Stein was second with 69%; Teichmann was third with 63%.

The "B" team won six and lost fifteen games. The members of the "B" team were Ackerman, Gillissie, A. Gaul, Hamann, Heberer, Klucker, Knipp, R. Munie, N. Richter, Rowold, Smith, and Winker.

In January we acquired an assistant coach for the "A" squad and coach for the "B" squad in the person of Donald Bilek, who replaced Mr. William Wood in the industrial arts department.



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Dear Mom.

I'm sure glad you finally drew the straw now you can get me a card. Shirl



Knipp, Ferlows, Schulze, Gunia, Graul, Arnone, Spanley.

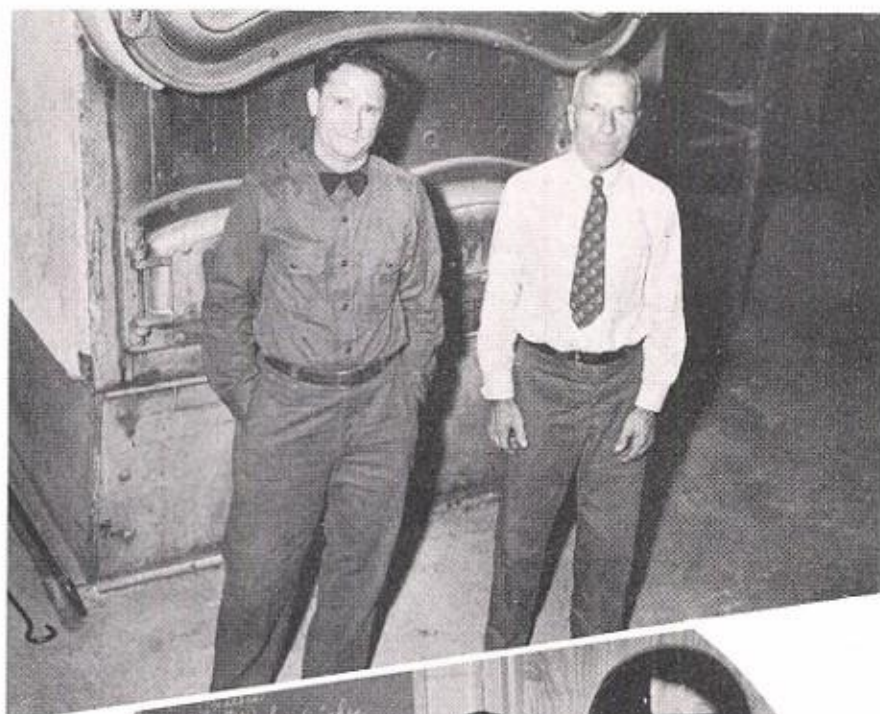
Mascoutah Community High School is very proud of its cheerleaders. Our six cheerleaders and the alternate were chosen by vote of the student body, one from each class and two at large. The cheerleaders lead the student body and the fans in promoting enthusiastic support of the team and good sportsmanship at our games. The cheerleaders back the team whether they win or lose.



Good luck to
a swell senior.
Keep good care
of Sal - she's really
a nice girl and
you make a cute
couple. Bonnie Graul

Cheerleaders

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Janitors

Two faithful and well-known men are our janitors, Mr. Rasch and Mr. Seibert. Many laboring hours of enduring work have been spent by them cleaning blackboards, scrubbing up foot tracks, and spraying flies. These men spent their time well within our walls during 1951-1952.



Cooks

Day in and day out during the past year our cooks, Mrs. Bretsch, Mrs. Mueller, and Mrs. Griffen, prepared delicious meals for us in the cafeteria.



Bus Drivers

Every morning our cheerful bus drivers greeted us as we climbed aboard our buses. Our bus drivers are as follows: Elmer Stein, Leroy Klingel, Harvey Knipp, Emil Behrens, Emmet DeRousse, Buford Grodeon, Leroy Kissel, Albert Klingel, and Wilmer Emmerich.

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Calendar

SEPTEMBER

- 4 Registration - Hi, folkses! Have a good summer? We welcome our new teachers-Miss Graesser, Miss Walther, Mr. Macke, and Mrs. Pinnell.
- 6 Mascoutah trounces New Baden in baseball game there, 3-0.
- 7 First day of school with full-length classes. Mascoutah defeats Lebanon here, 4-1.
- 10 O'Fallon humbles Mascoutah here, 5-4.
- 11 We win over Waterloo, 4-3.
- 13 Upperclassmen elect class officers. We beat Freeburg on their diamond, 3-1.
- 17 New Athens bows to Mascoutah here, 7-1.
- 18 G.A.A. girls and their sponsor, Miss Walther, take hike out to Sportsmen's Lake. Stiff, gals?
- 20 We are guests at Waterloo for a 6-4 defeat.
- 21 Miss Steines announces the annual staff. This will be a lot of work and experience. seniors!
- 22 Mascoutah mauls New Baden here, 17-1.
- 26 Students enjoy an all-school party and wiener roast.
- 27 Mascoutah is victor over Lebanon there, 20-4.
- 29 Representatives from the "Hi-Lites" and the "Mascoutan" go to a press conference at Carbondale with Miss Graesser. G.A.A. girls go to Granite City with Miss Walther for a play day.
- 30 One month of school over already! Only eight more months until graduation, seniors!

OCTOBER

- 1 O'Fallon scalps the Indians at Mascoutah, 6-4. Seniors have visitors for annual publication. It was a hard decision, but we made it.
- 3 G.A.A. goes bowling. Why do they have to have gutters????
- 4 Freeburg tramples Mascoutah here, 5-1.
- 8 First night of basketball practice. Work hard, fellows. We'll be backing you all the way. Two students of M.C.H.S., Patsy Schulze and Carol Richardson, are in a car accident. Get well soon, girls.
- 9 M.C.H.S. students extend their sympathy to Mrs. Pinnell on the loss of her parents from suffocation.
- 10 Mr. Griebel announces the play cast. Everyone is waiting to see "Great Caesar's Ghost."
- 11 No school for two days! Teachers attend an institute. No wonder the kids are happy.
- 15 Back from the long week-end. Ready for exams, kids? We have our bill-fold size school pictures taken today. Smile pretty now--cheese!!!
- 19 We have a sneak preview of the Scott Varieties of '51. Let's give them a big turn-out.

- 20 Many games are played and everyone has a swell time at the first Open House. Thanks, S.F.C.
- 22 Our hats are off to Siegfried Schultze for the wonderful piano recital he performed here. He is a great artist.
- 24 The F.H.A. girls make a tour of the Belleville Courthouse. Volumes and more volumes!
- 25 Senior girls are working frantically to finish the "Hi-Lites."
- 26 First report cards given out. Don't feel bad, kids. There's a next time. What do you think of ROTO?
- 29 Second sextet and trio are chosen. Sing pretty!
- 30 The cheerleaders are selected. Congratulations, girls! Seniors get their proofs back. Ouch! You're not disappointed, are you? Students have you noticed the new shrubbery around the school building? Don't you think it adds a lot to the apperance of the school?
- 31 Hallowe'en - Watch out for the spooks!

NOVEMBER

- 5 Mr. Moulton from the Y.M.C.A. in Carbondale talks to the students about joining two new clubs, the Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y.
- 6, 7, 8, No school because of bad weather and road conditions. I like it!
- 9 Back to school after three days' vacation. Is everybody happy?
- 16 Basketball season starts tonight with Mascoutah playing Waterloo here. The game is Waterloo's victory, 72-40. Let's get behind the team, kids!
- 19 Underclassman play, "Great Caesar's Ghost", is given. The play cast does a good job. Everybody is talking about ghosts!
- 20 New Athens' Yellow Jackets sting Mascoutah Indians 51-44, there. Keep up the school spirit!
- 21 Mr. Spieth come to take more pictures for the "Mascoutan." Everyone give him your best smiles!
- 22 Thanksgiving holiday begins. Mrs. Schrempp, how many students did you say were absent?
- 28 We all enjoy the Community-School Program. Our school contributes a demonstration by the typing students.
- 29 The second six weeks exams begin. If we could sharpen our wits as we sharpen our pencils, we'd all make A's!
- 30 M.C.H.S. students are privileged to hear the Elmhurst College Choir.

DECEMBER

- 4 The freshman girls were all dressed up for the F. H.A. initiation. Don't you think their appearance was improved? The Indians are scalped by Marissa, 64-52.
- 5 Chaplain Fellows spoke to us about the value of an education. We are also entertained by the singing of "The Four Teens."
- 7 Mascoutah whips New Baden, 46-29.
- 10 Seniors are keeping their numbers for the Tuberculosis Essays secret!

- 11 Report cards are given out today. Let's see a few more smiling faces next time! Names are drawn for the Christmas gift exchange. Whose name did you get?
- 13 The Student Council purchases two trees for the school Christmas decorations. Decorating them must have been a big job according to the number of students who had to get out of classes!
- 14 The Indians win their second victory at Freeburg. Keep it up, team!
- 17 Everyone enjoys group singing of Christmas carols in the morning. Mr. Votrain, you have some solo voice! Ho, ho, ho!
- 18 The Dupo Tigers strangle the Indians, 63-58, in a thrilling game.
- 21 The school Christmas program and party is held this afternoon with entertainment, gift exchange, and refreshments. School is dismissed at 2:00 for the holidays. We'll see you all on January 3. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, everyone!

JANUARY

- 3 Christmas vacation is over! Now students are looking forward to some more fun--semester exams!
- 4 O'Fallon defeats Mascoutah, 58-40.
- 9 Mascoutah wins an exciting game over St. Mary's, 46-44
- 10 The seniors have a very successful class party. Wasn't the leftover cake good? Did you all find your shoes? How is the finger, Marlene?
- 15 The team gives Coach Votrain a birthday present by beating Lebanon 59-58.
- 16 Everyone is looking beat! Semester exams?
- 18 A free throw scored in the last few seconds of the game by the Indians defeated New Athens, 56-55, in our own back yard.
- 25 Aviston slips by Mascoutah, 42-36.
- 28 Goodbye, Mr. Wood. Hello, Mr. Bilek. Mr. Wood is teaching in East St. Louis. Mr. Bilek is teaching industrial arts here and is also serving as assistant coach. Good luck to both of you!
- 29 After three close quarters Madison succeeds in overcoming the Indians in the final quarter, 60-50.
- 30 A new club, the Hi-Y, is organized under the sponsorship of Mr. Stout.

FEBRUARY

- 1 Mr. Moulton from Carbondale presents the charter to the Hi-Y. Mascoutah defeats the New Baden Zebras, 62-35.
- 4 Juniors select class rings. Just think, we're almost seniors!
- 5 Carlyle wins a close victory over Mascoutah, 45-41. There's always a next time, team!
- 8 Mascoutah "Injuns" skin the Freeburg Midgets, 33-29.
- 12 Everybody's happy! No school in honor of Mr. Lincoln. Dupo in a thrilling game leaps ahead of our boys, 60-54. You made them work for those points, team!

- 13 F.F.A. - F.H.A. Box Social. Carolyn Nichols is crowned the Chapter Sweetheart. A good time was had by all. Janet Stahl's box is judged the most attractive.
- 14 Dr. Russell Grow, president of McKendree College, and a male quartet entertained the student body and faculty. Everyone enjoyed the quartet, and Dr. Grow's address left everybody doing some serious thinking.
- 15 O'Fallon trounces Mascoutah, 61-30.
- 19 Waterloo Bulldogs snapped at Muscouth Indians, 53-44. Everyone has enjoyed the wonderful games you have played this season, boys!
- 21 The freshmen have a very enjoyable class party.
- 22 Too good to be true! This time we're honoring the father of our country.
- 28 Everyone is beginning to cram for six weeks' examinations. Good luck to all!

MARCH

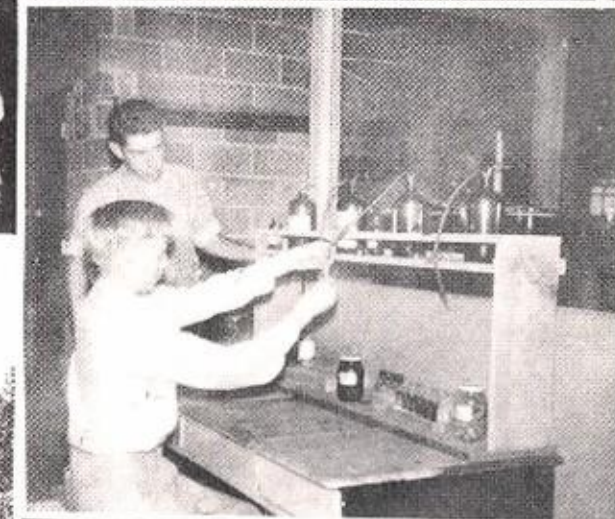
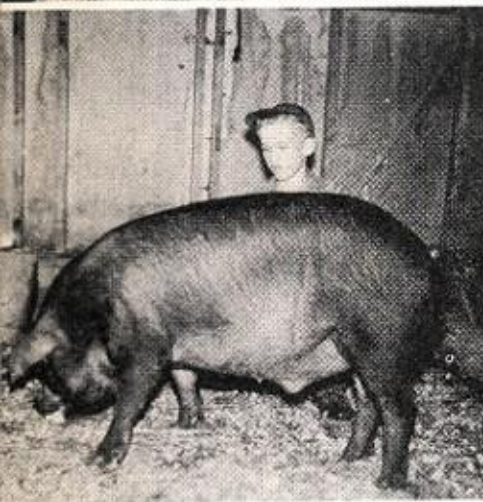
- 7 Magazine sales by freshmen, sophomores, and seniors begin. All the students are flitting from door to door. Let's see who can sell the most!
- 10 Sparta Tournament for freshman and sophomore teams begins.
- 17 The opening date of the G.A.A. Telegraphic Basket Shooting Tournament finds all girls practicing shooting. Make all those shots, now.
- 19 Agriculture teachers meet.
- 21 The parents and members of the sophomore class enjoy themselves at a party. Parents can be fun too, can't they?

APRIL

- 1 The Mother-Daughter Banquet given by the F.H.A. is a great success. Everyone enjoyed the evening. You know the way to a man's heart, girls!
- 4 It seems all the students of M.C.H.S. overslept this morning--why, of course, there is a teachers' meeting.
- 9 Here it is exam time again. Don't those teachers ever get tired of grading papers?
- 11 No school today on account of Good Friday. Don't forget to come back Monday.
- 17 The senior play, "Miss Jimmy", directed by Mr. Griebel, was a good comedy.
- 25 The grade-school band puts on a musical here.

MAY

- 10 Junior-Senior Banquet.
- 17 Junior-Senior Prom. The girls (and the boys, too) looked very attractive. "Stardust" was the theme.
- 23 Semester examinations begin. Aren't the seniors lucky? They don't have to take them!
- 24 All those present enjoy the school picnic.
- 25 Baccalaureate service held.
- 28 Commencement exercises end the seniors' days at good, old M.C.H.S. We wish every graduate success along the road of life.
- 29 Report cards given out. Have a pleasant summer, everyone. We'll see you next September!





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To a wonderful person,
("full of pep"?) remember
gay at times.

Hope your life is a
big success - lil' Robin
Hood!

Love
"Char"

Dear Don,
Remember the fun
we've had in Chem
class, and thanks for
all the times you've carried
"little messages" to me from
Jim. Hope you & Sally have
fun together always.
Love, Jeff

